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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

Town of Barnstead

COMPRISING THOSE OF THE SELECTMEN, TREASURER, COLLECTOR, ROAD AGENTS, SCHOOL BOARD, TOWN CLERK, TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY, TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS, AND FIRE WARDEN

FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 31, 1929

F. S. EATON
CENTER BARNSTEAD, N. H.
1929

TOWN OFFICERS.

Moderator

MIRON O. SMITH

Selectmen

OSCAR J. GARLAND FRANK H. MOORE
ALBERT MacPHERSON

Town Clerk

DAVID M. PERKINS

Tax Collector

ROLAND E. BUNKER

Treasurer

HARRY D. PERKINS

Highway Agents

SEWELL J. CLARK MELVIN H. GARLAND
FRED F. PITMAN JOHN O. EMERSON

Library Trustees

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JAMES BODGE

Health Officer

GEORGE J. WHITNEY

Overseer of Poor

OSCAR J. GARLAND

Supervisors

MELVIN H. GARLAND HERBERT M. HILL
JAMES W. MOZLEY

Trustees of Trust Funds

CARL G. BURROUGHS GEORGE G. FOSS
ALBERT F. EMERSON

Forest Fire Warden

SCOTT D. PARSONS

Police Officer

LEWIS L. OTIS

Auditors

HERBERT M. HILL EDWIN CALLAHAN

Prohibition Enforcement Officer

ALBERT G. PITMAN

Representative to General Court

HARRY E. LITTLE

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN.

INVENTORY OF THE TOWN APRIL 1, 1928.

Land and buildings	$536,660.00
132 Horses	11,325.00
3 Mules	130.00
205 Cows	13,395.00
47 Neat Stock	2,320.00
52 Sheep	413.00
1 Hog	25.00
1392 Fowl	1,392.00
8 Fur-Bearing Animals	20.00
2 Portable Mills	2,000.00
Wood and lumber	26,549.00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	700.00
Stock in trade	20,800.00
Aqueducts	14,700.00
High tension line	8,000.00
Mills and machinery	32,500.00
Total	$670,929.00

Amount exempted to soldiers	$14,335.00
Bethesda Lodge	6,000.00
Monsfield Wood Heel Co.	3,000.00
Total	$23,335.00

Taxable property	$670,929.00
401 poll taxes	802.00

Tax Rate—$3.33 per $100.00

TAXES ASSESSED FOR 1928.

State tax	$2,076.35
County tax	2,293.73
Highways and bridges	2,987.00
Cutting bushes	400.00
Permanent improvement	700.00
Trunk line construction	.....
State Aid maintenance	220.00
Trunk line maintenance	1,200.00
Unimproved trunk line	250.00
Public library	100.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Fire companies	100.00
Street lights	400.00
Band concerts	150.00
Tractor and snow plow	1,000.00
Road machine	600.00
Fencing up roads	125.00
All other purposes	500.00
Schools	8,991.00
Overlay	1,000.86
Total	$23,143.94

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Assets.

Cash in treasury	$6,075.85
Taxes bought by Town:	
1924	33.30
1925	89.12
1927	52.62
1928	46.47
Due from county	57.00

Bridge plank on hand	$493.44
Due from State construction	1,042.04
In hands of John C. Varney, maintenance	700.02
Tractor account, due from State	85.00
Total	$8,674.86
Excess of liabilities over assets (net debt)	5,687.10
Grand Total	$14,361.96

LIABILITIES.

Temporary loans	$10,500.00
School district, dog tax	219.40
Trunk line construction	834.50
Road machine	600.00
Bush account	92.14
Fencing up roads	125.00
Trunk line maintenance	420.99
Unimproved trunk line	20.71
State Aid maintenance	47.69
Bridge railings	304.10
Town roads	1,197.43
Total	$14,361.96

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY.

Town Hall, land and buildings	$3,000.00
Library, land and buildings	17,000.00
Furniture and equipment	700.00
Highway Department	1,000.00
Equipment	8,500.00
Total	$30,200.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

1928.

Received from dog tax	$259.00
Less fees	17.60
	$241.40
Received from auto tax	637.44
Less fees	57.75
	$579.69
Received on 1929 auto tax	99.00
Total auto tax	$678.69
Filing fee for Representative	2.00
Total amount paid Selectmen	$922.09

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID M. PERKINS,
Town Clerk.

REPORT OF TREASURER.

Balance in treasury January 31, 1928	$8,390.11
Received of Roland E. Bowker, Tax Collector	23,311.89
Grand total from Selectmen	16,132.34
	$47,834.34
Paid out by order of Selectmen	41,758.49
	$6,075.85
Balance on hand January 31, 1929	$6,075.85

Submitted by

HARRY D. PERKINS,
Treasurer.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

Property taxes on list for collection	$22,357.33
Poll taxes on list for collection	796.00
Added taxes	118.93
Interest collected	39.63
	$23,311.89
Paid Treasurer as per receipt	$23,311.89

Respectfully submitted,

ROLAND E. BUNKER,
Collector.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS.

Property and poll taxes	$23,272.29
Previous year	49.00
Total	$23,321.29
From State:	
For highway	$7,562.79
For other purposes	2,659.25
Total	$10,312.04
From Local Sources Except Taxes:	
Dog licenses	$241.40
Automobile tax	677.69
Rent of Town Hall	15.00
Bridge plank	284.20
From County	134.00
Receipts other than current revenue	2,411.85
Grand Total	$37,395.97

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS.

Town Officers' salaries	$900.00
Town Officers' expenses	65.00
Town Office expense	280.86
Election and registration	272.00
Total	$1,517.86
Protection of Persons and Property:	
Police Department	$30.90
Fire Department	108.00
Bridge railing	95.90
Bounties	1.20
Damage by dogs	22.00
Total	$258.00
Health and Sanitation:	
Health Department	$10.00
Vital statistics	6.95
Total	$16.95
Highways and Bridges:	
State Aid maintenance	$464.84
Trunk line maintenance	1,474.33
Town maintenance	3,774.80
Street lights	399.96
General expenses	450.07
Unimproved road	449.68
Bush account	307.86
Total	$7,321.54
Education:	
Public Library	$100.00

Charities:	
Town poor	$584.66
County poor	72.00
Total	$656.66
Patriotic Purposes:	
Memorial Day	$50.00
Recreation:	
Band concerts	$150.00
Unclassified:	
Bridge plank	$777.64
Refund	39.95
Abatements	121.88
Taxes bought by Town	79.77
Damages and legal expense	20.00
Total	$1,039.24
Public Service Enterprises:	
Cemeteries	$10.00
Interest:	
Interest	$650.00
Construction:	
Trunk line, snow	$139.70
Trunk line construction	8,723.28
Tractor expense	100.02
Tractor, operating	143.07
Joint fund for 1929	1,442.71
Total	$10,548.78
Indebtedness Payment:	
Temporary loans	$5,500.00

Other Governmental Divisions:	
State and County tax	$4,186.09
School District	9,104.35
Total	$13,290.44

DETAIL STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS.

General Government.

Detail 1—Town Officers.

Oscar J. Garland, Selectman	$200.00
Frank H. Moore, Selectman	200.00
Albert MacPherson, Selectman	200.00
Roland E. Bunker, Tax Collector	125.00
Harry D. Perkins, Treasurer	125.00
David M. Perkins, Town Clerk	50.00
Total	$900.00

Detail 2—Town Officers' Expenses.

Melvin H. Garland, out of town	$5.00
Sewell J. Clark, out of town	5.00
Fred T. Pitman, out of town	5.00
Albert MacPherson, out of town	15.00
Oscar J. Garland, out of town	15.00
Roland E. Bunker, out of town	10.00
Frank H. Moore, out of town	5.00
C. W. Chandler, out of town	5.00
Total	$65.00

Detail 3—Town Office Expenses.

Frank S. Eaton, printing reports	$165.00
Union Tel. Co.	10.06

Edson C. Eastman, supplies	$39.80
Albert MacPherson, copying invoice	10.00
Roland E. Bunker, printing and postage	14.66
David M. Perkins, postage	1.34
Harry D. Perkins, postage	2.00
Herbert M. Hill, Auditor	12.00
Fred Foss, Auditor	16.00
Total	$270.86

Detail 4—Election and Registration.

Frank S. Eaton, printing ballots	$15.00
Miron O. Smith, Moderator	12.00
James W. Mozley, Supervisor	50.00
Melvin H. Garland, Supervisor	50.00
Herbert M. Hill, Supervisor	50.00
Albert L. Emerson, Ballot Clerk	6.00
Charles Tuttle, Ballot Clerk	6.00
Charles A. Holmes, Ballot Clerk	3.00
George S. Carr, Ballot Clerk	9.00
George N. Rowe, Ballot Clerk	3.00
Harry E. Little, Ballot Clerk	6.00
Charles E. Young, Gate-Keeper	6.00
George A. Nutter, Gate-Keeper	9.00
Philip Clapp, Gate-Keeper	3.00
Frank S. Eaton, printing check-list	35.00
George J. Whitney, setting up booths	9.00
Total	$272.00

Detail 5—Police Department.

Lewis L. Otis:	
Aid to tramps	$9.00
Officer	10.00
Services	11.90
Total	$30.90

Detail 6—Fire Department.

John A. King, Treasurer Parade Fire Co.	$50.00
Carl S. Burroughs, Treasurer Center Fire Co.	50.00
Scott D. Parson, Fire Warden	8.00
Total	$108.00

Detail 7—Damage by Dogs.

David M. Perkins, enforcing dog law	$10.00
G. F. Jenkins, damage to sheep	12.00
Total	$22.00

Detail 8—Health Department.

George J. Whitney, officer	$10.00

Detail 9—Vital Statistics.

F. B. Argue, M. D., recording birth	$2.00
D. M. Perkins, recording births	4.95
Total	$6.95

Detail 10—State Aid Maintenance.

Lester Boudreau	$464.84

Detail 11—Trunk Line Maintenance.

Lester Boudreau	$670.10
John C. Varney	362.88
Frank H. Gray	213.80
George A. Sackett	7.33
Lyman J. Ayers	6.00
Philip Hamel	7.33
Otto Dame	6.00
Harold Goodwin	6.00

George Littlefield		$3.00
Perley Dame		3.00
Guy Bickford		3.00
George Littlefield, Jr.		12.33
Charles Tuttle		12.00
Fred Lother		17.33
Lewis L. Otis		17.33
Albert MacPherson		4.00
Oscar J. Garland		10.00
Wilmer Littlefield		3.00
Harvey Wheet		3.00
S. F. Webster		3.00
C. W. Chandler		1.67
Dan Barrett		3.00
Arthur W. Tasker		3.00
George Prince		3.00
Kenneth Prince		3.00
Herman Dame		2.33
Frank H. Moore		4.00
		$1,390.43
Lewis Otis, overpaid	$36.00	
Frank C. Nutter, paid after Dec. 1	1.00	
David Barton, paid after Dec. 1	7.20	
Arthur W. Tasker, paid after Dec. 1.	12.70	
		56.90
Total		$1,447.33

Detail 12—Town Road Maintenance.

Sewell J. Clark	$824.00
C. A. Wredland	.83
Lyman Merrill	3 00
Elmer Emerson	1.50
Melvin Davis	.67
Charles Foss	.67
John Tibbetts	.50

Sewell J. Clark		$2.84
Sewell J. Clark, railings		91.40
		$925.41
M. H. Garland	$626.95	
Bridge account	161.55	
Winter account	9.53	
Railings	26.79	
		824.82
John O. Emerson		1,019.62
Fred T. Pitman	$925.00	
Fred T. Pitman, bridge account	70.00	
Lewis Otis	15.00	
Albert MacPherson	8.00	
		1,018.00
Henry P. Weeks, winter account		40.85
Charles Tuttle, winter account		15.00
Total		$3,843.70

Detail 13—Operating Tractor.

A. P. Gray	$6.00
Charles H. Kelley	3.00
Nelson Bebo	1.50
A. D. Otis	3.00
Lewis L. Otis	21.25
Arthur W. Tasker	11.50
Clifton Goodwin	31.50
George Prince	9.00
Harold Goodwin	4.12
Albert L. Emerson	9.00
Albert MacPherson	33.20
Robert King	4.00
Carlton E. Emerson	6.00
Total	$143.07

Detail 14—Tractor Expense.

David M. Perkins, gas	$10.50
Lewis L. Otis, labor on tractor	2.50
Albert MacPherson, labor on tractor	6.62
Albert F. Emerson, wood for tractor house	10.00
W. J. Garland, gas and supplies	40.50
Miron O. Smith, gas and oil	28.90
Albert L. Emerson, supplies	1.00
Total	$100.02

Detail 15—Trunk Line Snow Account.

Archie Carr, sanding	$17.76
Herman Dame, sanding	5.32
Fred Carr, sanding	3.99
O. J. Garland	8.88
Frank H. Gray, putting up fence	88.25
Albert MacPherson, putting up fence	8.00
Lewis L. Otis	7.50
Total	$139.70

Detail 16—Bush Account.

John M. Brewster	12.00
Perley Dame	9.00
Guy Bickford	9.00
John C. Varney	6.00
Herman Dame	18.00
O. J. Garland	17.00
Samuel F. Webster	10.00
C. W. Chandler	10.00
Lyman J. Ayers	37.00
Main Hartshorne	10.00
George Prince	4.00
Frank H. Moore	49.33

Leighton Tasker	$4.00
Laforest Jenkins	1.33
Hervey Cook	3.00
A. J. McNeal	3.00
Philip Hamel	12.00
Robert King	24.00
W. A. Babb	15.00
Albert MacPherson	54.20
Arthur W. Tasker	3.00
Total	$307.86

Detail 17

Street lights	$399.96

Detail 18—Education.

Carrie Seward, Library Trustee	$100.00

Detail 19—Charities.

Town Poor:	
Barnstead Grocery Co., aid to O. M. Thayer	$26.16
Aid to O. M. Thayer	68.00
Albert MacPherson, aid to O. M. Thayer	25.00
O. J. Garland, aid to O. M. Thayer	10.00
Harry E. Little, aid to O. M. Thayer	5.00
George A. Nutter, aid to O. M. Thayer	6.00
John H. Perkins, funeral expenses	115.00
F. S. Nutter, aid to Enos Ayers	32.15
Oscar J. Garland, Overseer of Poor	5.00
Total	$581.66
County Poor:	
Aid to Perley Dame	57.00
Total	$638.66

Detail 20—Patriotic Purposes.

Memorial Day	$50.00

Detail 21—Recreation.

Band concerts	$150.00

Detail 22—Unclassified.

Parade Cemetery Association, lot at Parade	$10.00
Arthur Tasker, damage on car	20.00
Total	$30.00

Detail 23—Taxes Bought by Town.

Walter J. Hillsgrove	$46.47
Harper & Burhoe	33.30
Total	$79.77

Detail 24—Refunds.

O. M. Thayer	$3.33
Roland E. Bunker:	
Overtax of Nettie Hogencamp	13.31
Mary E. Chesley tax	23.31
Total	$39.95

Detail 25—Abatements.

Roland E. Bunker:	
Over tax of A. G. Symonds	$23.27
Jack Major, soldier	9.99
Ella Berry, tax	13.32
Over tax on Felker Bros	33.30
Total	$79.88

Detail 26—Abatements on Poll Taxes.

Henry N. Cook, out of town	$2.00
Hannah Dowling, out of town	2.00
John Sargent, out of town	2.00
Ella Sargent, out of town	2.00
Emile Duval, paid in Manchester	2.00
Nellie Duval, paid in Manchester	2.00
Jean Duval, paid in Manchester	2.00
Elizabeth Duval, paid in Manchester	2.00
Edgar L. Hutchinson, paid in Manchester	2.00
Nettie F. Hutchinson, paid in Manchester	2.00
Harold Kidder, paid in Manchester	2.00
Mrs. Harold Kidder, paid in Manchester	2.00
Annie Scruton, paid in Pittsfield	2.00
Augustus F. Emerson, paid in Farmington	2.00
William B. Foss, paid in Concord	2.00
Sarah Coates, deceased	2.00
Charles H. Davis, too old	2.00
Charles A. Parsons, too old	2.00
Total	$36.00

Detail 27—Interest.

Farmers' Savings Bank	$175.00
Hillsborough County Savings Bank	300.00
Pittsfield National Bank	175.00
Total	$650.00

Detail 28—Bridge Plank.

Foss & Hersey	$687.64
L. E. French & Son	90.00
Total	$777.64

Detail 29—Joint Fund for 1929.

John C. Varney	$92.67
Albert F. Yeaton, bridge at Center	1,350.04
Total	$1,442.71

Detail 30—F. A. 225-D.

Samuel F. Webster	$319.01
C. W. Chandler	228.67
James Flanders	133.67
Hervey Cook	3.00
George F. Littlefield	335.83
Herman Dame	62.67
Fred Lother	136.00
Harry Clough	7.67
Albert Bickford	59.67
Guy Bickford	106.67
Perley Dame	144.00
Nellie Bunker	304.05
John Brown	151.00
W. J. Garland	509.28
George Littlefield, Jr.	201.54
Wilmer Littlefield	50.33
Fred Raymond	19.67
Philip Hamel	192.00
Howard Davis	35.67
E. W. Locke	19.50
Lyman Ayers	137.00
LaForest Jenkins	107.00
Charles Brown	3.00
George Sackett	137.34
Kenneth Prince	196.00
Haorld Goodwin	284.50
Orin Littlefield	86.00
Otto Dame	186.00
Harvey Wheet	130.72

Charles Tuttle	$284.90
Frank H. Moore	381.32
O. J. Garland	549.24
Wesley Locke	49.67
Walter Clough	18.00
Robert King	48.34
A. J. McNeal	7.67
Leighton Tasker	39.00
Albert MacPherson	144.44
Arthur Tasker	154.33
George Prince	186.00
Dan Barrett	44.33
Scott Parsons	42.00
Cecil Straw	54.00
Albert Pugh	121.67
Ralph Pugh	121.67
Archie Carr	292.10
Charles Kelly	295.56
L. E. French	231.11
Harry K. Hier	105.56
John C. Varney	24.00
John Proctor	42.00
Harvey Drake	324.00
Rexford Wheet	12.00
L. C. Adams	12.00
B. N. Towle	244.85
F. H. Gray	74.10
Norman Frane	43.67
Clifton Goodwin	3.00
Lewis L. Otis	5.00
J. J. Jones & Son	31.50
W. J. Garland, supplies and gas	66.74
O. Varney	104.44
F. T. Garland	12.50
H. P. Maxfield, supplies	70.80
A. T. Clark, sharpening tools	31.35
David Barton, gravel	80.00

Ina Hawley, gravel	$5.00
H. D. Perkins, gas and oil	30.04
Town of Barnstead, use of tractor	21.00
Total	$8,686.36
State trucks, gas and oil, due 1929 account	36.92
Grand Total	$8,723.28

Detail 31—General Expenses of Department.

Elizabeth Sanborn, recording deeds	$5.11
Valley Times, printing	1.70
Edgar Gray, cleaning up yard	5.00
Millard Thompson, freight	1.04
Lewis Otis, use of car	3.00
Harriman, Freeze & Paige, insurance policy	209.00
Harvey Drake, planing lumber	4.00
F. S. Eaton, distributing Town Reports, 1927-28	24.00
E. J. Callahan, school sign	3.00
Charles E. Young, painting tractor house	17.50
George J. Whitney, expense	2.95
Herbert Casavant, gravel	8.20
McCloskey Torch Co., torches	24.00
Union Tel. Co.	15.54
Albert F. Emerson, wood for office	18.00
Ina Hawley, gravel	19.30
C. W. Chandler, transportation	10.00
Albert Perry, moving lumber	1.00
Clyde Wakefield, making deed	1.00
H. P. Maxfield, paint	27.95
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	6.30
George J. Whitney, bond and supplies	11.50
Lewis Otis, services as police officer	3.00
Total	$422.09

Indebtedness Payments.

Detail 32—Temporary Loans.

Farmers' Savings Bank	$3,500.00
Pittsfield National Bank	2,000.00
Total	$5,500.00

Detail 33—Payments to Other Governmental Divisions.

State tax	$2,076.35
County tax	2,109.74
Total	$4,186.09

Detail 34—School District.

Treasurer	$8,991.00
Dog license	113.35
Total	$9,104.35

Respectfully submitted,

OSCAR J. GARLAND,
FRANK H. MOORE,
ALBERT MacPHERSON,
Selectmen of Barnstead.

REPORT OF ROAD AGENTS.

SUMMER ACCOUNT, 1928.

SEWELL J. CLARK, *Road Agent.*

F. C. Nutter (for gravel)	$2.00
Ralph S. French	1.84
Jonathan Clark	3.67
Henry P. Weeks	7.00
Arthur H. Tasker	7.00
H. P. Maxfield (dynamite, etc.)	8.95
Charles E. Stone	8.50
Frank W. Welch	6.50
Harry E. Little	31.83
Elmer J. Emerson	17.84
C. A. Wiedlund	24.90
Frank H. Clark	23.23
Frank H. Clark (for gravel)	27.80
L. L. Otis	8.00
H. C. French	16.64
John A. Brown	17.60
Guy E. Clark	67.15
A. D. Otis	36.79
A. D. Otis (for gravel)	3.20
John W. Tibbetts	65.09
Alonzo J. Welch	45.00
Sewell J. Clark	339.84
Total	$770.37

BRIDGE ACCOUNT.

SEWELL J. CLARK, *Road Agent.*

A. D. Otis	$3.00
Frank Clark	3.50

Elmer Emerson	$1.50
Guy E. Clark	1.00
H. C. Kenison (for spikes)	1.13
L. L. Otis	2.50
John Tibbetts	3.00
Sewell Clark	14.00
Paid Selectmen for bridge plank	24.00
Total	$53.63

RAILING, BRIDGES AND CULVERTS, 1928.

SEWELL J. CLARK, *Road Agent.*

John Tibbetts	$7.50
A. D. Otis	15.57
H. P. Maxfield (wire for snow fences)	.77
Frank T. Garland (for chestnut poles)	18.00
Sewell J. Clark	27.16
Paid Selectmen (for railings)	22.40
Total	$91.40

Received from Town	$915.40
Amount expended	$915.40

SUMMER ACCOUNT, 1928.

FRED F. PITMAN, *Agent.*

Oscar Pitman	$13.75
George Pitman	3.25
Albion Foss	3.00
Harold Dow	6.50
Artrur Babb	1.50
Theodore Dahlquist	14.00
Fred Clapp	6.00
Allen Christensen	10.50

George Foss	$10.00
Fern Kelley	1.50
Arthur Ackerman	13.50
George Littlefield, Jr.	3.00
Ralph Pugh	85.50
Archie Carr	292.50
Ralph Emerson	4.50
Lewis Otis	82.00
Fred Carr	45.00
Charles Holmes	15.00
Murlin Tuttle	42.00
William Black	8.75
Albert Pitman	1.00
Fred Pitman	249.75
Gravel	12.50
Total	$925.00

BRIDGE ACCOUNT.

Bridge plank from Selectmen	$36.00
Bridge plank from L. E. French	24.00
O. E. Pitman, labor	3.00
W. O. Black, labor	7.00
Total	$70.00

ROAD ACCOUNT, 1928.

M. H. Garland, *Agent.*

George E. Hartshorn	$5.65
Archie Carr	24.00
George Merrell	3.00
Forest Lindquist	12.00
Woodroe Emerson	12.00
Charles Jenkins	57.33
Charles Tuttle	84.00

Chester Chandler	$36.67
S. F. Webster	28.67
M. H. Garland	247.00
H. T. Maxfield	1.53
Fred Lother	83.00
Walter Richardson (for gravel)	23.10
David Barton (for gravel)	6.00
James Broadbent (for gravel)	3.00
Total	$626.95

BRIDGES AND CULVERTS.

Berger Mfg. Co.	$90.55
Charles Jenkins	3.00
M. H. Garland	22.00
E. F. Callahan	1.00
M. O. Smith	1.00
The Town of Barnstead (for plank)	44.00
Total	$161.55

RAILING, CULVERTS.

F. T. Garland, for posts	$12.25
Chester Chandler	2.34
M. H. Garland	7.70
The Town of Barnstead, for rails	4.50
Total	$26.79

TAKING DOWN AND PUTTING UP SNOW FENCE.

M. H. Garland	$7.20
Chester Chandler	2.33
Total	$9.53
Grand Total	$824.82

SNOW ACCOUNT.

(From February 1 to April 1, 1928.)

HENRY P. WEEKS, *Road Agent.*

Wilbur J. Garland	$2.50
W. W. Black	15.35
H. P. Weeks	6.00
George G. Foss	1.75
R. W. Gault	1.50
J. H. Dow	3.25
Percy C. Young	6.00
J. H. Young	2.00
Herman Dame	2.50
Total	$40.85
Received from Selectmen	$40.85

SUMMER ACCOUNT, 1928.

JOHN O. EMERSON, *Road Agent.*

H. P. Maxfield	$11.96
Ansel Emerson	15.00
F. S. McDuffee	14.00
Harold L. Goodwin	63.85
Joseph Walker	17.00
Leslie Longee	7.50
Fred B. Lother	36.00
Elwin Caswell	7.33
John M. Brewster	72.06
J. L. Locke	4.50
John C. Varney	28.50
C. T. Straw	15.00
O. H. Dame	12.00
Malcolm Locke	7.00
Ralph W. Eastman	24.00

Hiram B. Eastman	$13.00
Harold F. Prescott	14.70
L. L. Otis	17.00
Forrest Lindquist	3.00
Clifton Goodwin	9.00
Dan Barrett	4.50
G. E. Locke	2.33
Harry Emerson	7.50
Ina Hawley, gravel	3.90
Eben Young, gravel	1.95
Albert MacPherson	10.82
J. O. Emerson	215.42
J. O. Emerson, trucking	166.00
Paid Selectmen for bridge plank	157.80
J. O. Emerson, labor on bridges	57.00
Total	$1,019.62

Cash received from Town	$1,019.62

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF BARNSTEAD, N. H., ON JANUARY 31, 1929.

Date of Creation.	TRUST FUNDS—PURPOSE OF CREATION.	HOW INVESTED.	Amount of Principal.	Rate of Interest.	Bal. of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year.	Income During Year.	Expended During Year.	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year.
1866	School Fund for support of schools	U. S. Bond	$1,000.00	4¼ %	.....	$42.50	.....	.....
	Town sale of land	In Pittsfield Savings Bank	1,365.97	4 %	.....	54.64	$97.14	.....
1891	Parsonage Fund—For Churches	In Pittsfield Savings Bank	432.00	4 %	.....	13.02	13.02	.....
1904	Dr. George W. Emerson Cemetery Fund	B. & M. R. R. Stock—Class C	500.00	7 %	.....	35.00	.....	.....
		U. S. Bond	150.00	4¼ %	$143.33	6.37	.....	.....
		In Pittsfield Farmers Sav. Bank	18.08	4 %	.....	.81	1.00	$184.51
1914	Oscar Foss Cemetery Fund	B. & M. R. R. Stock—Class C	1,000.00	7 %	207.10	70.00	10.00	267.10
1915	Joseph D. Proctor Heirs Cemetery Fund	U. S. Bond	450.00	4¼ %	.....	19.13	.....	.....
		In Pittsfield Savings Bank	63.32	4 %	24.54	2.91	4.00	42.58
1919	Barnstead Parade Cemetery Fund—By Charles E. Sturtevant	U. S. Bond	300.00	4¼ %	65.12	12.75	4.25	73.62
1923-27	James Kaime, Alvin P. Place Cemetery Fund—By Alvin P. Place	U. S. Bonds	300.00	4¼ %	27.72	8.51	2.00	34.23
1923	Dr. John W. Wheeler Cemetery Fund	B. & M. R. R. Prior Pref. Stock	180.00	7 %	.....	7.00	.....	.....
		In Pittsfield Savings Bank	120.00	4 %	29.82	4.80	7.75	33.33
1927	Charles S. Hodgdon Cemetery Fund—By Luida Whittier	In Pittsfield Savings Bank	200.00	4 %	.....	6.00	.....	6.00
1927	Asa A. Clark Cemetery Fund—By Emma E. Doe	In Pittsfield Savings Bank	150.00	4 %	.....	4.50	.....	4.50
			$6,229.37		$497.09	$287.94	$139.16	$645.87

LIBRARY REPORT.

REPORT OF TREASURER.

Cash brought forward		$198.33

RECEIVED.

1928.		
Nov. 4.	Pittsfield Savings Bank, Foss Fund interest	$200.00
1929.		
Jan. 16.	Myra A. George, cards, fines, and book	5.70
31.	Town of Barnstead	100.00
		$504.03

PAID.

1928.,			
Mar.	19.	W. P. Goodman, balance on books	$0.34
Aug.	6.	J. C. McQuesten, coal	23.64
	28.	Young & Sackett, painting on Library	24.50
Sept.	18.	C. E. Young, painting Library fence	8.25
	29.	T. F. Seward, repairing Library steps	10.00
Oct.	8.	Cleaning Library	2.50
Nov.	7.	W.P. Goodman, books	41.76
	30.	Myra A. George, Librarian	50.00
Dec.	14.	Courier Pub. Co., Library cards, etc.	13.49

	26.	Step-ladder, shears, etc., for Library	$6.00	
		Expense on books	5.00	
1929.				
Jan.	2.	Set of grates for furnace.	22.88	
	24.	G. J. Whitney, janitor...	31.85	
		Electricity for the year..	14.64	
				254.85
				$249.18

CARRIE A. SEWARD,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES.

We respectfully submit the following report of our Library for the year ending 1928. Eighty new books have been purchased, being selected from the best authors to please all classes who read. These are mostly books of fiction, as there is a greater call for books of that kind.

Friends of the Library have remembered us with donations. Mrs. G. H. Hawley gave a full set of Stoddard's Lectures, nicely bound, and all of Elijah Kellogg's books, as good as new, besides other single copies.

Norman and Marion Frame gave 39 good books. Mrs. Harry Seward and Phil Clapp each gave two. A friend who wished his name withheld gave several. We take this opportunity to publicly thank those who gave books.

It was deemed necessary to make some repairs on the building this year. The outside was given a second coat of paint and the fence painted. The cement step outside, which had become cracked, was repaired and made as good as new. The furnace required new parts. In order to keep any building in good repair, some money needs to be spent nearly every year.

We believe there is no better way of furnishing entertainment for our young people than providing them with good books to read. The Library will be open Tuesday and Saturday afternoons from 2 until 5 o'clock and Saturday evenings from 7 until 9 o'clock, except holidays.

MYRA A. GEORGE,
Librarian.

JAMES BODGE,
MRS. CARRIE A. SEWARD,
MRS. ABBIE HILL,
Library Trustees.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

Feb. 14, 1929.

Audited and found correct and properly vouched to the best of our knowledge and belief.

HERBERT M. HILL,
E. F. CALLAHAN,
Auditors.

REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BARNSTEAD, N. H.

For the School Year Ending

June 30, 1928

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF BARNSTEAD, N. H.

OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Moderator

MIRON O. SMITH

District Clerk

CORAN K. DAVIS

School Board

HARRY E. LITTLE CHESTER W. CHANDLER
EDWARD F. CALLAHAN

District Treasurer

GEORGE J. WHITNEY

Auditor

HERBERT M. HILL

Superintendent of Schools

LESTER B. BADGER

REPORT OF TREASURER.

For the Year Ending June 30, 1928.

Cash on hand July 1, 1927	$1,168.85
Received:	
Appropriation	8,700.00
Income from Trust Funds	97.14
Dog tax	140.90
Sale of property	12.30
Overpaid	5.00
State Treasurer, State Aid	5,633.78
Total amount available for fiscal year	$15,757.97
Less School Board orders paid	14,535.03
Balance on hand as of June 30, 1928	$1,222.94

G. J. WHITNEY.
District Treasurer.

Audited July 10, 1928.

HERBERT M. HILL.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

From July 1, 1927, to June 30, 1928.

Receipts.

State and Federal Aid	$4,794.30
Adjustments	839.48
Income from Local Taxation:	
For the support of elementary schools	5,731.00
For the payment of High School tuition	1,500.00
For the salaries of District Officers	200.00
For the payment of per capita tax	344.00
For the payment of Superintendent's excess salary	250.00
For the payment of expense of administration	75.00
For the payment of new equipment	600.00
From Other Sources Than Taxation:	
Dog licenses	140.90
Income from local trust funds	97.14
Sale of property	12.30
Refund of transportation	5.00
Total receipts from all sources	$14,589.12
Cash on hand beginning of year	1,168.85
Grand Total	$15,757.97

Payments.

Administration:		
Salaries of District Officers	$175.00	
Superintendent's excess salary	250.00	
Truant Officer and school census	25.00	
Expenses of administration	34.99	
		$484.99

Instruction:		
Principals' and teachers' salaries..	$8,328.69	
Text books	293.14	
Scholars' supplies	188.74	
Flags and appurtenances.....	15.00	
Other expenses of instruction.....	60.17	
		$8,885.74
Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:		
Janitor service	$360.00	
Fuel	354.00	
Janitors' supplies	75.93	
Minor repairs and expenses	1,090.98	
		1,880.91
Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:		
Medical inspection	$120.00	
Transportation of pupils.....	917.50	
High school and academy tuition..	1,492.92	
Elementary school tuition	90.82	
		2,621.24
Fixed Charges:		
Tax for State wide supervision....	$344.00	
Outlay for Construction and Equipment:		
Alterations of old buildings.....	$25.00	
New equipment	287.15	
		312.15
Debt, Interest, and Other Charges:		
Payment of bills from previous year.....		6.00
		$14,535.03
Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1928)		1,222.94
		$15,757.97

Auditor's Certificate.

This is to certify that I have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Barnstead, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1928, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

HERBERT M. HILL,
Auditor.

July 10, 1928.

BUDGET FOR 1929-1930.

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1929.

Detailed Statement of Expenditures.

Support of Schools:		
Teachers' salaries		$8,450.00
Text books		250.00
Scholars' supplies		175.00
Flags and appurtenances		15.00
Other expenses of instruction		40.00
Janitor service		360.00
Fuel		400.00
Janitors' supplies		75.00
Minor repairs and expenses		500.00
Health supervision (medical inspection)		250.00
Transportation of pupils		1,200.00
Payment of elementary tuitions		100.00
		$11,815.00
Other Statutory Requirements:		
Salaries of District Officers (fixed by District)	$200.00	

Truant Officer and school census (fixed by district)	$25.00	
Payment of tuitions in high schools and academies (estimated by Board)	2,300.00	
Superintendent's excess salary (fixed by Supervisory Union)	300.00	
Per capita tax (fixed by State Treasurer)	318.00	
Expense of administration	75.00	
		3,218.00
Total amount required to meet School Board's budget		$15,033.00

ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT.

Balance June 30, 1929 (estimate)	$1,050.00	
State Aid (December, 1929, allotment)	4,669.00	
Income from Trust Funds (estimate)	97.00	
Elementary school tuition receipts (estimate)	45.00	
Total estimated income (not raised by taxation)		5,861.00
Assesment required to balance School Board's budget		9,172.00
Special appropriations proposed:		
Repairing of Pitman school building		200.00
Total assessment required to cover budget and appropriation		$9,372.00

HARRY E. LITTLE,
CHESTER W. CHANDLER,
EDWARD F. CALLAHAN,
School Board.

Barnstead, N. H., Jan. 28, 1929.

(To apply for State aid $5,156.40 must be raised for elementary schools)

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the Barnstead School Board:

I herewith submit for your consideration my sixth annual report as superintendent of schools, it being the twelfth in the series of such reports. Its purposes will be to state some of the most vital facts about the schools for the past year, to compare some of those facts with information given in previous reports, and to discuss some of the important needs of the future.

Teachers.

Two changes in the teaching force occurred during the school year: one was mentioned in the last report and the other was at the Bickford School, where Miss Steele left on account of illness, and Doris Corrigan finished out the year.

The following is a list of the teachers for the present school year:

TEACHER.	POSITION.	*Salary.*
Marcia Peasley	Principal of Parade School	$1,050
(Etta Rowell)	(To November 23)	(1,050)
Elizabeth R. Gray	Parade, Grades I-IV	950
Merial Smith	Center	1,000
Jean A. Skinner	South	950
Coran K. Davis	Locke's Corner	800
Muriel M. Stalker	Shackford's Corner	900
Idella M. Ingraham	Beauty Hill	850
Hazel A. Gray	Dennett	900
(Laura H. Tenney)	(To February 8)	(850)
Edna V. Ballard	Bickford	900

Instruction.

Last spring standard tests were given in Reading to Grades II to VIII, in Arithmetic Reasoning (Problem Solving) to Grades III to VIII, and in general achievement to Grades IV to VIII. These were in addition to the usual achievement tests given to Grade VIII only.

Last November other standard tests were given in Reading to Grades II to VIII; in Arithmetic Computation, Arithmetic Reasoning, Language Usage, and Spelling to Grades III to VIII; in Grammar and History to Grades VII and VIII; in Geography to Grades V to VIII, and in Nature Study and Health to Grades IV to VIII. The results of both of these testing programs have been carefully studied and discussed at the regular monthly teachers' meetings, and they have been found exceedingly helpful to teachers and superintendent in determining the type of instruction each pupil should receive.

It is planned soon to give another series of tests to further check the results of our efforts.

The results of the tests given in June each year for the past five years to the eighth grade pupils are significant. In June, 1924, the average of the scores was 7.2; that is, a group of *seventh* grade pupils up to standard would have done as well *two* months along in their grade as this *eighth* grade group did in their ninth month. In other words, they were one year and seven months behind the standard. In June, 1925, the average was 7.4; that is, they were one year and five months behind. In June, 1926, the average was 8.4, or five months behind the standard. In June, 1927, the average was 9.4, five months *above* the standard. In June, 1928, the average was 8.8, one months below standard. I believe this improvement in the quality of the work being done is noteworthy, and the results for the past three years indicate that Barnstead pupils are being well prepared for high school.

Promotions.

During the year one hundred eleven pupils were promoted to the next grade, and eleven, or 9.0 per cent, failed of promo-

tion. The average per cent of failures for the last five years is 7.2. Scientific investigations show that we may expect about seven per cent of failures each year.

The following fourteen pupils received certificates of admission to high school: Earle Bennett, Mary Brodbent, Karl Cleveland, Roland Cleveland, Frances Clough, Marjorie Dennett, Woodrow Emerson, Maurice Heath, Elizabeth Jenisch, Wesley Locke, Constance Maxwell, Richard Tasker, Bertha Tuttle, and Richard Webster. Twelve of these fourteen pupils entered Pittsfield High School last fall.

High School Pupils.

The following twenty-six pupils returned to or entered high school last fall:

Alton H. S.—Ruth Emerson, Kent Locke, and Mary Locke.

Pittsfield H. S.—Earle Bennett, Mary Broadbent, Karl Cleveland, Roland Cleveland, Sherwood Cleveland, Stanley Cleveland, Frances Clough, Marjorie Dennett, Woodrow Emerson, Kendrick French, Maurice Heath, Elsie Hill, Elizabeth Jenisch, Frank Marshall, Jr., Lucy Marshall, Robert McAllister, Harriet Richardson, Leighton Tasker, Richard Tasker, Bertha Tuttle, and Richard Webster.

Plymouth H. S.—Madeline Merrill.

Quimby Academy—Dorothy Welch.

Roll of Honor.

The following eighteen pupils were neither absent nor tardy for the school year ending June 30, 1928: Marjorie Bennett, Robert Callahan, Constance Chandler, Helen Chandler, Kathleen Chandler, Margaret Cleveland, Roland Cleveland, Frances Clough, Robert Golden, Lloyd Hanson, Willard Hanson, Doris Kenison, Harry Kenison, Florence Kenneally, Edith Kenneally, Constance Maxwell, Lena Maxwell, and Charlie Welch.

Health.

The following report of the school nurse shows the effective work done last spring, especially in the correction of defects, and the need for further work. Special attention was given then to bad tonsils and adenoids, and this year it is hoped that a dental clinic may be held to help that large group of pupils (89 last May) who have defective teeth.

It may be noticed also that only 40 pupils of the 118 examined were reported as having been vaccinated. Parents have been reminded that the State law makes vaccination compulsory, and this matter should be attended to before the opening of the fall term next September.

Regarding the cost of health supervision there is much misunderstanding. For this year $200 was appropriated for both the physician and nurse. As this amount is not sufficient to make it possible for a school nurse to be employed for a week for each twenty-five pupils, the State will approve of only one dollar per pupil, or $123 this year. Of the $200 appropriated then, $123 will be paid by the State and $77 by the district. If a nurse could be employed for a week for each twenty-five pupils, the State would approve of $1.50 per pupil, or $184.50 this year. If $250 had been appropriated and the nurse employed for five weeks, the State would have paid $184.50, and the district would have had to pay only $65.50 instead of the $77.00.

Report of School Nurse.

Date of examination, May, 1928.
Examiner, Harriet M. Curren, R. N.
Number examined, 118.
Number not examined: Not present, 1.
Communicable diseases: Number pupils excluded, 0.

DEFECTS.	Number affected.	Reported to parents. Receiving treatment.		Defects corrected since last examination.
Underweight (10%)	15	15	1	0
Defective Vision	14	12	1	1
Defective Hearing	3	2	0	0
Nervous Condition	3	3	2	0
Cardiac Disease	2	1	2	0
Deformity	1	0	0	0
Defective Teeth	89	89	2	1
Defective Breathing	38	38	6	5
Diseased Tonsils	48	48	10	10

Total number of pupils vaccinated, 40.

Number pupils treated at tonsil and adenoid clinic, June 19, 1929—12.

Census.

Number of resident children 5 to 16 in local schools Sept. 30, 1928	115
Number in high schools or academies outside the district	15
Number in elementary schools outside the district	4
Total number of children 5 to 16 in some school	134
Number 5 to 8 not in school	18
Number 8 to 14 not in school	0
Number 14 to 16 not in school	2
Total number of resident children 5 to 16	154

Totals for the past few years have been as follows: 1919, 126; 1920, 121; 1921, 128; 1922, 139; 1923, 151; 1924, 155; 1925, 157; 1926, 131; 1927, 151; and 1928, 154.

Employment Certificates.

One employment certificate was issued during the school year. This was used for the summer vacation only.

Statistics for the Year Ending June 30, 1928.

Number of pupils registered	142
Average number half days schools were in session	353.3
Average membership	123.17
Average attendance	117.68
Per cent of attendance	95.54
Average number half days each pupil was in school	337.56
Pupils not absent or tardy	18
Cases of tardiness	185
Average number of tardinesses per pupil	1.5
Non-resident pupils	5
Pupils transported at district expense	4
Visits by superintendent	176
Average number of visits by superintendent per teacher	19.6
Visits by citizens	110
Visits by Board members	14
Meetings of School Board	16

At last Barnstead's per cent of attendance (95.54) has exceeded the State average (94.89). The per cent of attendance for last year was 94.28 and for two years ago, 92.5. The average number of visits per teacher by the superintendent in the State last year was 17.1 as compared with 19.6 for Barnstead.

School Savings.

During the week of January 28, 1929, the Education Thrift Service put into operation in all the Pittsfield schools and in the Center and Parade schools in Barnstead a system of school savings. Over $60 was deposited by the pupils the first week. The per cents of pupils present who made deposits for the three weeks the system has been in operation were 84.1, 84.4, and 85.4, respectively, and the average amounts depos-

ited by each pupil were twenty-one cents, twenty-nine cents, and thirty-two cents, respectively.

The installation of this system is entirely free to the schools, being paid for by the two co-operating banks: Farmers' Savings Bank and Pittsfield Savings Bank. Barnstead is fortunate in being able to have this system, as few banks will stand the expense of its operation in the rural sections. If the plan works well, as it is doing now certainly, it should be extended to the other schools next fall. I believe the results that will come in the future years from the continued use of this system will be fundamental in the progressive development of the community, for those results will be thrift itself, without which no social group can prosper.

Buildings and Equipment.

In considering the hygienic conditions of any school plant there are four important items to be checked: (1) the heating and ventilating conditions; (2) the lighting conditions; (3) the toilets, and (4) the seating conditions. In the following table S indicates that the item meets the standard, or nearly so; T that the item is temporarily passable, and U that the item is unsatisfactory and should be corrected.

SCHOOL.	Heating and Ventilating.	Windows.	Walls and Shades.	Ceilings.	Seats.	Toilets.
Parade	S	S	S	S	S	T
Center	S	S	U	U	S	T
South	S	S	S	U	S	S
Locke's Corner	T	T	S	T	T	T
Shackford's Corner	T	S	S	T	T	T
Beauty Hill	T	S	U	T	T	S
Dennett	S	S	S	T	S	U
Bickford	T	T	S	T	S	U

This table is exceedingly encouraging, as it shows that real progress has been made in the improvement of buildings and equipment. The only conditions, we find, that should receive immediate attention are as follows:

At the Center the walls and ceiling should be repaired and painted, and new shades installed.

At South Barnstead two new shades are needed in the back of the room.

At Beauty Hill the walls and ceiling should be cleaned and painted.

At the Dennett School a board walk should be built from the schoolhouse to the toilets.

At the Bickford School the toilets should be remodeled.

Supplies.

One of the duties of the superintendent is "to see that the same (text-books and other school supplies) are suitably distributed to the schools, accurately accounted for and economically used. The physical labor involved in the performance of this duty is far greater than the mental labor *with the present facilities, or lack of them, for caring for the books and supplies after they have been delivered to the school.* With no place to store them only a few may safely be delivered at a time. This involves much unnecessary work. If each school had a closet where supplies could be stored and locked up, a year's supply of paper, chalk, etc., could be taken to the school early in the year, where it would be on hand for use as the teacher needed it. Such a plan would help the school directly by insuring a constant supply of materials, and indirectly by giving the superintendent more time for helping the teacher with her problems. The cost of providing such storage space would be very low for the benefit received. The following schools are entirely lacking in this respect: South, Locke's Corner, Dennett and Bickford. Supply closets should be built at these schools next summer.

Conclusion.

It may be observed from the foregoing statements (1) that Barnstead pupils are well up to standard when they complete the eighth grade, (2) that a very high percentage of them continue their education beyond the elementary school, (3) that health supervision is effective in the Barnstead schools, (4) that the pupils' attendance the past year was exceptionally good, and (5) that the hygienic conditions of the buildings and equipment are being rapidly improved.

I am glad of this opportunity to express my appreciation of the generous co-operation I have received during the past year from the school board, teachers, pupils, parents and other citizens.

Respectfully submitted,

LESTER B. BADGER,
Superintendent of Schools,
Supervisory Union No. 49.

Pittsfield, N. H.
February 15, 1929

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BARNSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1928.

Date of Birth.	No. of Children.	Name of Child.	Name of Father.	Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
Jan. 3.	6	Fremont Henry Swain.....	Henry B. Swain.....	Florence M. Gray...	Northwood, N. H....	Barnstead, N. H.
Jan. 19	6	Lindy Eugene Foss.....	William B. Foss.....	Grace Drake	Strafford, N. H.....	Barnstead, N. H.
Mar. 2	5	Donald Warren Jenkins....	John J. Jenkins.....	Marion S. Clapp....	Barnstead, N. H....	Auburndale, Mass.
Mar. 26	1	Carl Hanson	.....	Vina G. Hanson....	.....	Barnstead, N. H.
*Apr. 25	3	Dolores Achrista Brown....	Joseph C. Brown	Achrista E. Sear....	Portsmouth, N. H...	Texas
Aug. 11	11	Alfred Kenneth Golden	John E. Golden.....	N. Blanche Locke...	Plattsburg, N. Y....	Pittsfield, N. H.
Aug. 21	5	Marjorie Edna MacPherson.	Albert MacPherson ...	Edna M. McDuffee..	Roxbury, Mass.	Barnstead, N. H.
Sept. 29	4	Frances Luanna Prescott...	Harold Prescott	Caroline Eastman ..	Barnstead, N. H....	Chelsea, Mass. .....
Oct. 16	3	William Carroll Perkins....	David M. Perkins.....	Dora E. Foss	Strafford, N. H.	Strafford, N. H.
Oct. 19	2	——— Higgins	William Higgins	Olive M. Corliss	Bradford, Vt.	Suncook, N. H.
Dec. 2	5	——— Wheet	Rexford E. Wheet....	Bessie McDuffee ...	Groton, N. H.....	Barnstead, N. H.
Dec. 10	1	Arthur Reginald LeDuc....	Edward H. LeDuc....	Eldora E. Chagnon..	Pittsfield, N. H.....	Isle Pond, Vt.
Dec. 17	4	Alfred Herbert Weeks.....	Henry P. Weeks.....	Myrtie S. Hanson...	Gilmanton, N. H....	Barnstead, N. H.

*Indicates a copy.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BARNSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1928.

Date.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Age.	Names of Parents.	By Whom Married.
Feb. 18*	Pittsfield, N. H.	Fred R. Whittaker S. Anna French	47 44	George E. Whittaker Mary E. Randall John Van Dusen Amelia Braley	W. I. Sweet, Clergyman, Pittsfield, N. H.
June 14*	Barnstead, N. H.	Lowell J. Mills Dora E. Lougee	33 18	Fred W. Mills Belle Brown Leslie Lougee Emma Whitehouse	John A. Swetman, Clergyman, Pittsfield, N. H.
June 16	Barnstead, N. H.	Carleton E. Emerson Sarah A. Manson	45 43	Simeon E. Emerson Eldora M. Lougee Calvin W. Cummings Emmagene P. Brown	Harry E. Little, Clergyman, Barnstead, N. H.
June 30*	Concord, N. H.	Wilbur A. Johnson Bertha J. Parmenter	22 22	Fred A. Johnson Gladys E. Daniels Will Parmenter Clara Kingman	Ralph L. Minker, Clergyman, Concord, N. H.
July 14	Nashua, N. H.	Albert C. Perry Edna R. Locke	37 21	Charles H. Perry Annie B. Perkins Wayland B. Locke Bertha Emerson	Warren L. Noyes, Minister of the Gospel, Nashua, N. H.
Nov. 4	Sandwich, N. H.	Charles H. Clough Frances J. Welch	22 21	Harry G. Clough Edith Flagg Frank W. Welch Sadie Morrison	George P. LaFlash, Minister of the Gospel, Centre Sandwich, N. H.
Nov. 5	Barnstead, N. H.	Charles R. Prince Dorothy I. Davis	34 18	George H. Prince Mary E. Morse Myrtie M. Davis	Harry E. Little, Clergyman, Barnstead, N. H.

*Indicates a copy.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF BARNSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1928.

Date.	Name of Deceased.	Age.	Place of Birth.	Name of Father.	Name of Mother.
Jan. 18	Harry A. Shackford	53	Barnstead, N. H.	Albert F. Shackford	Augusta Huntress
Feb. 10	Zelma D. Gault	25	Barnstead, N. H.	George W. Dow	Edith Shackford
Mar. 15	Marion S. Jenkins	33	Auburndale, Mass.	Frederick H. Clapp	Charlotte J. Sumner
*Mar. 17	Elizabeth W. Winkley	67	Parsonsfield, Me.	Jere O. Winkley	Frances Nutter
June 4	Blanche L. Gray	2	Barnstead, N. H.	William C. Gray	Ruth Davis
June 17	Belle A. Meara	71	Pittsfield, N. H.	Samuel T. Paige	———
June 18	Charles E. Perkins	77	Strafford, N. H.	Asa Perkins	Deborah Young
*June 21	Herbert W. Smith	73	Concord, N. H.	Alfred C. Smith	Sarah J. Dowlin
July 8	Coran M. Jacobs	61	Barnstead, N. H.	David M. Jacobs	Mary Jacobs
*July 28	Levi H. Hanson	92	.....	Nathaniel Hanson	Marjorie Evans
Oct. 16	Annie Kenison	80	Barnstead, N. H.	Samuel Clark	Mercy Foss
Oct. 19	——— Higgins	0	Barnstead, N. H.	William A. Higgins	Olive M. Corilss
*Nov. 29	Owen M. Thayer	79	Providence, R. I.	.....	———

*Brought to Barnstead for burial.

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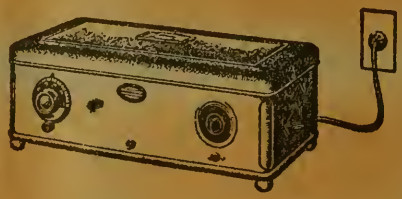

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